

## FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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August 14, 2001

Mr. Bryan Griggs P.O. Box 1062 Renton, WA 98057

RE:

MUR 5159

Conrad Lee

Committee to Elect Conrad Lee and

David L. Yarno, as treasurer Bush-Cheney 2000 Inc. and David Herndon, as treasurer

Dear Mr. Griggs:

This is in reference to the complaint you filed with the Federal Election Commission on November 29, 2000, concerning Conrad Lee, the Committee to Elect Conrad Lee and David L. Yarno, as treasurer, and Bush-Cheney 2000 Inc. and David Herndon, as treasurer. Based on that complaint, on August 7, 2001, the Commission found that there was reason to believe the Committee to Elect Conrad Lee and David L. Yarno, as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. §§ 433, 434, 441a(a)(1)(A), and 441b, provisions of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended. However, after considering the circumstances of this matter, the Commission determined to take no further action against the Committee to Elect Conrad Lee and David L. Yarno, as treasurer, and to take no action against Conrad Lee and Bush-Cheney 2000 Inc. and David Herndon, as treasurer, and closed the file in this matter on August 7, 2001. A Statement of Reasons explaining the Commission's decision will follow.

This matter will become part of the public record within 30 days. The Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended, allows a complainant to seek judicial review of the Commission's dismissal of this action. See 2 U.S.C. § 437g(a)(8).

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If you have any questions, please contact me at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

Michael E. Scurry

Attorney

Enclosure General Counsel's Report